

Amendment to the Specification

Please amend ¶ [0033] as follows:

B' [0033] The electrical configuration of FIGURE 3 is exemplary only, and a range of variations thereof are contemplated. As noted previously, the LED elements **22A**, **22B**, **22C**, **22D** can be of different types, e.g. GaN LED elements, InGaAlP LED elements, and so forth. In cases where the LED elements comprising the lighting units differ, the control unit **30** optionally includes voltage dividers (~~not shown~~) or other power conditioning components that control the power applied to each optical source **14A**, **14B**, **14C**, **14D**. For example, in FIGURE 3 a voltage divider including resistances R_1 and R_2 conditions power applied to the optical source **14D**. Furthermore, as noted previously a given optical source, e.g. optical source **14A**, can include LED elements of different types. In this case, the optical source **14A** would itself include one or more electrical components (not shown) such as voltage dividers that condition the voltage applied to each LED element within the optical source **14A**. In yet another variant, the control unit **30** includes a rheostat R_x , variable voltage divider, or other electrical component (~~not shown~~) that enables variable power application to the lamp **10** as a whole or to one or more of the individual lighting units **14A**, **14B**, **14C**, **14D** that are included in the lamp **10**. Such an arrangement advantageously enables the user to control the optical intensity as well as the spatial distribution of the light output.